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(A) ELIMINATION OF RESTRICTIONS ON ACTIVITIES OF FOREIGN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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UNDERWRITERS, INCLUDING RESTRICTIONS ON BEING LEAD MANAGER, AND ON THE AMOUNT THEY INDIVIDUALLY AND COLLECTIVELY CAN UNDERWRITE ON SECURITIES ISSUES;

(B) RELAXATION OF LIMITATIONS ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF FOREIGN-OWNED BROKERAGE OPERATIONS IN JAPAN;

- (C) GREATLY EXPAND USAGE OF UNSECURED BONDS INSTEAD OF PRESENT RELIANCE UPON MORTAGE BONDS;
- (D) REMOVAL OF THE EXCLUSION OF FOREIGN BANKS FROM THE "GENSAKI" SECONDARY MARKET FOR BONDS; AND
- (E) INTRODUCTION OF PUBLIC POSTING OF PRICES ON THE OVER-THE-COUNTER SECURITIES MARKET TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF THIS MARKET. VANCE

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